

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Furniture Finishers (51-7021)

Associated Occupation: Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing (51-7042)

Compare Knowledge

Compare Skills

Compare Abilities

Compare Detailed Work Activities

Compare Tools and Technologies

<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 49

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Production and Processing	6.0	13.1	3.7	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Mathematics	9.2	11.5	1.6	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Mechanical	6.8	9.5	3.8	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Design	5.2	7.7	1.8	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 66

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Operation Monitoring	6.6	11.2	8.0	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Operation and Control	5.4	9.7	8.2	<	A higher skill level may be required
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	9.1	8.6	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Repairing	3.4	8.1	5.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Troubleshooting	4.5	8.0	5.9	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Equipment Maintenance	3.5	7.9	5.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

Equipment Selection	3.3	6.9	5.6	<	A higher skill level may be required
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Abilities		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 83			
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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Reaction Time	4.8	13.3	8.0	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Control Precision	6.6	11.5	9.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Selective Attention	8.7	10.6	8.4	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Auditory Attention	5.9	10.5	9.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Rate Control	3.8	9.7	7.1	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Response Orientation	4.0	9.6	6.9	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Wrist-Finger Speed	3.2	7.1	7.6	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Speed of Limb Movement	3.2	6.2	6.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 83
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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity	
Cut, shape, fit, or join wood or other construction materials	58	
Examine products or work to verify conformance to specifications	15	
Move or fit heavy objects	8	
Perform safety inspections in manufacturing or industrial setting	33	
Read production layouts	66	
Read technical drawings	7	
Use hand or power tools	2	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: n/a

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Tools and technology data is unavailable for one or both occupations.	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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